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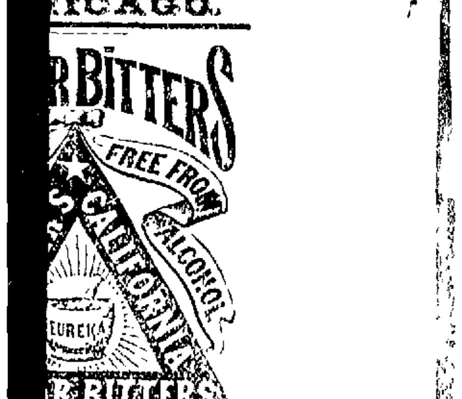

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 24, 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger .... 1:45 p m
Freight and Accommodation........ 7.00 a m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger .... 11,15 a m
Freight and Accommodation......... 5 00 p m

H. C. MOORE,
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Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:
GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express.................. 3 10 a. m
" 3 Fast Express,........................10 15 a. m
" 5 Accommodation,.................. 1 20 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express.............. 11 10 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " .... 12 20 p. m
" 6 Accommodation .... 1.30 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going east .... 9.15 a. m ... 8 30 p. m
Going west .... 2:35 p. m ... 0 00 p. m

PEORIA DIVISION:
DEPART:

No 71 Express .... 7 50 a. m
" 73 Mail................................ 1 30 p. m

ARRIVE:

No 73 Express.......................... 11 10 p. m
" 71 Mail............................... 9 50 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 41 Through Express.............. 3 15 a. m
" 13 Fast Express.....................10 05 a. m
" 35 Accommodation .... 5 15 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 12 Lightning Express............ 11 15 p. m
" 41 Atlantic " .... 11 65 a. m
" 46 Accommodation................ 9 20 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE I.B.&W ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur......			2 00 p m
Ar Monticello..			3 10 "
" Champaign			3 50 "
" Chicago......			7 30 a m
Lv Champaign..	6 35 a m	11 00 a m	11 55 p m
Ar Danville...	8 35 a m	12 23 p m	1 56 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur	6 05 a m		11 30 p m
" Tolono......	7 21 a m		12 12 a m
Ar Danville	8 30 a m		1 58 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	8 40 a m	12 42 p m	2 05 a m
Ar Indianapolis	12 40 p m	4 10 p m	6 15 a m
" Cincinnati ...	6 00 p m	9 20 p m	12 15 p m
" Dayton........		9 25 p m	2 45 p m
" Columbus......		11 30 p m	5 55 p m
" Zanesville, ...		2 32 a m	
" Wheeling, ...		6 35 a m	
" Washington	5 00 p m	8 17 p m	6 00 p m
" Baltimore.....	6 00 p m	8 35 p m	6 15 p m
" Pittsburg......		8 15 a m	2 03 a m
" Harrisburg..		2 55 p m	11 35 a m
Philadelphia	10 15 p m	6 20 p m	3 35 p m
" New York....		9 15 p m	6 15 p m
" Crestline ...		4 20 a m	
Cleveland...		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	
" Boston		10 00 a m	
Louisville......		11 10 p m	12 35 p m
" Nashville....		7 0 a m	

No 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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Illinois Central R. R

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger........... 4 35 A M Sundays excepted
Stock Express.... 11 00 A M " "
Freight............. 3 25 P M " "
" & accom... 5 20 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger .... 5 20 P M Sundays excepted
Accommodation, 11 00 A M " "
Freight .... 7 50 A M " "
Freight .... 3 10 P M " "

☞ The 3:25 train going north does not carry passengers.

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
J. C. CLARK, Gen'l Manager, "
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. Chicago,
J. F. TUCKER, Gen. Fr't Ag't, "
C. O. JUDSON, Agent.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

GOING EAST,
No. 3.

Leave Decatur .... 7 00 a. m
Arrive at Terre Haute ....12 05 p. m.
" " Indianapolis .... 4 10 "
" " Cincinnati .... 9 20 "
" " Louisville............................. 11 10 "

No. 1,

Arrive from Peoria......................... 8 20 "
Leave Decatur.................................. 8 25 "
Arrive at Terre Haute.................... 1 15 a. m.
" " Indianapolis........................... 4 00 "
" " Cincinnati............................... 8 45 "

GOING WEST,
No. 2.

Arrive from Terre Haute................ 6 50 a. m
Leave for Peoria.............................. 7 30 a. m.
Arrive at " .... 11 30 a. m.
" " Rock Island.......................... 0 50 p. m.
" " Decatur................................. 0 10 p. m.

☞ Train No. 4 arrives from the east at 9:10 p. m., and lays over here until the next morning at 7 o'clock, when it leaves for Terre Haute and Indianapolis

Sleeping cars at Terre Haute through to Cincinnati, New York and Philadelphia.

C. T. FOLLETT, Gen. Ticket Ag't
H. W. HIBBARD, Gen. Freight Ag't,
D. HITCHCOCK, Gen. Sup't,
TERRE HAUTE, - - - INDIANA
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MAILS CLOSE

For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R. R...... 9:45 A. M.
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W..........................11:20 A. M.
" Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R...............11:20 A. M.
" East and Chicago, on T. W. & W., 1:00 P. M.
" East, on Ind. & Ill. Cent.............. 1:00 P. M.
" Pekin & Peoria, on T., W. & W., 1:00 P. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W............................ 1:00 P. M.
" South, on Ill. Cent.................... 4:45 "
" Chicago, St. Louis & Lafayette,... 7:30 "
" North & East of Lafayette.......... 7:30 "
" Sullivan and Mattoon................. 7:30 "

MAILS ARRIVE

From South, St. Louis and East..... 5:30 A. M.
" Sullivan and Mattoon,......... 5:30 "
" Chicago, Cincinnati and Lafayette.......................... 7:30 "
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W......................11:30 "
" Peoria, via I. M. R. R..............11:30 "
" East, on I. & I. C.....................12:00 M.
" East & Pekin, on T. W. & W., 12.00 P. M.
" Terre Haute, on I. M. R. R., 12:00 "
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.............................. 1:15 "
" North, on Illinois Central... 5:30 "

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

JOAQUIN MILLER IN HIS BOYHOOD.

From his Recent Lecture in Washington.

When I was about to leave the mountains of Oregon a few years ago and try my fortunes in the great wide world, as the phrase runs, an old man sitting on a worm fence one evening, with his buckskin legs hanging down, said to me, very tenderly and wisely: "Joaquin, don't you go; the world's an impostor, and it'll feed you on husks, as it did the probable son." But I told him I was resolved to go; then the old man looked down into the sun that was falling into the Pacific sea like a mighty hemisphere of fire, then up at his flocks of sheep feeding on the hillside, and said: "Wal, Joaquin, if you must go, go; but you'll come back some day to the old ranch. You'll be sick of the world and sorry you went, and you won't have no buckskin clothes, and you won't have no home. But when you do come back—for you're a good meanin' boy, Joaquin—and have no bucksin clothes and no home, you must come to me, and you shall live with me and take care of my sheep, at $40 a month, as long as you live."

Well, I have worn out my other clothes, and I have no home, but I can't go back to the old man in the sheep business, for, as the French say, he is dead and gone over to the majority, and I come to you to-night to lecture. I tell you all this to show you that this is not my favorite pursuit, and also to show to you that I have not the highest opinion of the present lecturer. Nor have I of any man who wins notoriety or name in quite another field, and then consents to exhibit himself for hire and call that lecturing. No, I had preferred the sheep business, and at this moment wish I had accepted the old man's offer.

TOO SEVERE STUDY.

It has been pretty accurately ascertained that girls are not as a rule so able, constitutionally, to bear study as boys are, and that the effects of severe study will in most instances be detrimental. This has been found to be the case in America more than in England. Not long ago there was brought before the commissioners of insanity in San Francisco a young girl whose mind was deseased to an extent that rendered her committal to the asylum inevitable. The reason assigned was the evil above alluded to. The girl had been devoted to her studies. She had endured the "cramming" process until her mind gave way, and although according to the school reports, "highly distinguished in her classes," she is to-day a helpless lunatic from the effects of this unnatural and wretched method of subjecting youthful minds to a torture which must inevitable result in severe mental impairment. It is every year becoming more evident that, if the old order of things is to be revolutionized, it will not answer to do so without taking great pains to find out what are the nature and limits of the education which the mind of an average girl will bear without injury to mental and bodily health.

A LIBELOUS PARAGRAPH.

"Yes" said Margaret Parchment, an old maid, to a friend the other day, "yes, everybody appears to be getting married, and I'm sorry for those poor deluded butterflies of girls who little know the horrors of matrimony." Then the housemaid brought her card upon which was the name of a very ancient beau. "Yes," said Miss Parchment, jumping up strangely excited and going to the mirror to arrange her back hair; "yes dear, as I was saying, weddings are very numerous (does my back hair look all right?) and there may be another one soon to interest us all." And her dilapidated smile, as she went down stairs to see the ancient beau, was so significant that her friend laughed aloud.

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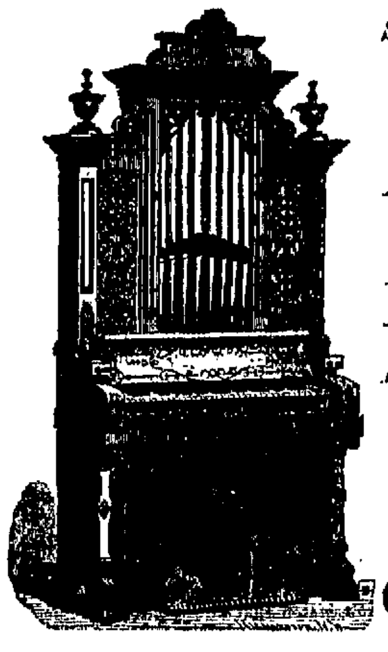

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO RUFUS E. Holmes, that Benjamin Z. Taylor, complainant, has filed his bill of complaint, in chancery, against him, the said Rufus E. Holmes, impleaded with James M. Taylor, Barbara J. Taylor (his wife,) Ann King, Thomas M. Taylor, Theola D. Taylor (his wife), William O. Taylor, Laura L. Taylor, (his wife), Amanda Jennie Taylor, Edmiston McClellan, her guardian, Joseph B. Bosworth and Henry C. Wilson, defendants, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, and that summons has been issued thereon, returnable into said court, where said cause is now pending, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, said county and State, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875, when and where, unless he, the said Rufus E. Holmes, shall appear and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
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DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Berber & Co's shoe store, East Main street, June 18, 1875—d3mos*

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1875-dwtf.

H. L. ODOR. E. B. ELDRIDGE
ODOR & ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 8, 1874-dly

EDWIN PARK,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [june19,'74-tf.

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill.
Dec. 13, 1873-d&wtf.

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.

☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

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August 3, 1875—dtf

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. 11-daw.1

R. B. GRUELLE,
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May 20, 1875—d&wtf

B. I. STERRETT,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

OFFICE—Southeast cor. of the old square, in the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. [June 1-d&wly

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March 22, 1875 dly

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April 21, 1874—d6m*.

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THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance, of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.
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March 17 1870-y1

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to George E. Wood that Ettie Wood has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER NEXT, when and where, unless said George E. Wood shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken for confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 16, A. D. 1875. [16-d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Marilla D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen, that Reuben H. Meriwether has filed his bill of complaint in chancery, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against them as defendants; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendants, returnable into said court, at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday in December next,

when and where, unless said Marilla D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against them.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Oct. 25, 1875—d4w

The Daily Republican.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, Nov. 16.

THANKSGIVING.

Proclamation by the President of the United States.

In accordance with a practice, at once wise and beautiful, we have been accustomed, as the year is drawing to a close, to devote an occasion to an humble expression of thanks to Almighty God for ceaseless and distinguished benefits bestowed upon us as a nation, and for His mercies and protection during the closing year. Amid the rich and free enjoyment of all our advantages, we should not forget the source from whence they are derived, and extend our obligation to the Father of All Mercies. We have full reason to renew our thanks to Almighty God for favors bestowed upon us during the past year. By His continuing mercy, civil and religious liberty have been maintained; peace has reigned within our borders; labor and enterprise have produced their merited rewards, and to His watchful providence we are indebted for security from pestilence and other national calamities. Apart from the other national blessings, each individual among us has occasion to thoughtfully recall and devoutly recognize the favors and protection which he has enjoyed.

Now, therefore, I, Ulysses S Grant, President of the United States, do recommend that on

THURSDAY, THE 25th DAY OF NOVEMBER, the people of the United States, from their accustomed vocations, do assemble in their respective places of worship, and in such form as may seem most appropriate in their own hearts, offer to Almighty God their acknowledgments and thanks for all His mercies, and their humble prayers for the continuance of His divine favor. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this 27th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1875, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundredth

(Signed) U. S. GRANT, President
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

Proclamation by the Governor.

In conformity with the proclamation of the President of the United States, I, John L. Beveridge, Governor of the State of Illinois, do hereby recommend that Thursday, November 25, 1875, be observed as a day of thanksgiving and praise to the Supreme Ruler of the Universe for the bounties of His Providence.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State to be affixed.

Done at the city of Springfield, this 9th day of November, A. D., 1875.

JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
Governor.

By the Governor:
GEO. H. HARLOW, Sec'y of State

THE total vote for Governor at the recent election in Pennsylvania was 600,564. Governor Hartranft receiving 12,030 majority over Pershing, Democrat.

A NORWICH politician found a man sitting on the sidewalk the other night. Naturally he asked him what was the matter. "Well," said the man, sadly, "my wife thinks I am drunk." I've tried twice to get in at the front door, and she's put me out both times, and my self-respect won't allow me to try it again. So I'm waiting till she's quieted down a little, and then I think can crawl through the cellar window."

THE Democrats of the House at the next session will, in the opinion of the New York *Herald*, let the currency question severely alone. The *Herald* says:

> Their Western members smarting under their recent defeat, might be rash enough to propose a repeal of the Resumption act of the last Congress, but that will be prevented, if possible, by the cooler Democratic heads. The hard-money Democrats will not propose any measure, because it would not conduce to party harmony to irritate and humiliate their erring brethren of the West by demanding so early and open a renunciation of their recent views. The Democrats of the House will try to evade the currency question, and to occupy and engross the public attention with a great parade of investigations . . . All that the Senate needs to do is to pass a bill for giving efficiency to the Resumption act of last January, and send it to the House. This would infallibly set the Democrats of the House by the ears.

THE Richmond (Va.) *Whig*, Democratic, makes this significant admission:

> The aggregate result of the elections in eleven States last Tuesday is by no means so favorable for the Democratic Conservative cause of the country as the encouraging changes in the elections of last fall gave us reason and right to expect. The Radical party is obviously stronger now than it was then. Instead of still retreating, as we supposed it would, and by this time in such disorder as to indicate its annihilation in the Presidential contest, it seems somehow to have been invested with new strength and new hope, rallying around its old standard with more confidence and courage than it has since the second election of Grant, closing up the gaps in its ranks, and not only successfully resisting attack, but retrieving not a little of its lost ground, and bidding bold defiance as it points to the national field for the decisive struggle a year from now.

AN approximate estimate of the losses occasioned by the floods in the south of France in the past autumn has been published The terrible total is about $20,000,750, of this $8,600,000 are for capital and $11,400,000 for crops and property.

Now that the elections are over, and the returns from those States that are regarded as decisive in a Presidential contest are all in, conjectures as to the result of the next Presidential election are rife. The New York *Herald* has made an estimate of the probable vote in the next electoral college. The extreme Democratic bias of this paper's opinions could not be made more manifest. But even after it has done everything possible for the Democratic prospects, it is only able to figure out a majority of seven for that party. It claims for the Democracy all the doubtful, and some of the certainly Republican States on a Presidential contest. With such States as California, Connecticut, New York and New Hampshire given to Democracy in this table, and none but the very sturdiest Republican States conceded to that party, who can have doubts as to the result? We append below the very best efforts of the Democracy to encourage its deluded followers:

DEMOCRATIC.

Alabama	10
Arkansas	6
California	6
Connecticut	6
Delaware	3
Florida	4
Georgia	11
Indiana	15
Kentucky	12
Louisiana	8
Maryland	8
Mississippi	8
Missouri	15
New York	35
New Hampshire	5
Tennessee	12
Texas	8
Virginia	11
West Virginia	5
Democratic electoral votes	188

REPUBLICAN.

Colorado	3
Illinois	21
Iowa	11
Kansas	5
Maine	7
Massachusetts	13
Michigan	11
Minnesota	5
Nebraska	3
Nevada	3
New Jersey	9
North Carolina	10
Ohio	22
Oregon	3
Pennsylvania	29
Rhode Island	4
South Carolina	7
Vermont	5
Wisconsin	10
Republican electoral votes	181

IT will be remembered that in July last the telegraph gave us a fragment of a letter from the President to Secretary Bristow, on the whisky prosecutions in St. Louis, in which the Secretary was told to "be especially vigilant against all who insinuate they have high influence to protect them." "Let no guilty man escape," said the President to the Secretary. This letter has played a more important part in the prosecutions than some persons may imagine; it was the starting point of the vigor of action that subsequently surprised and startled the ring, and brought it to its knees. The National Republican of Washington says:

"Secretary Bristow caused copies of the letter and the above indorsement by the President to be forwarded to the officers in St. Louis upon whom devolved the duty of prosecuting the charges against the person accused, for their instruction and guidance. They were ordered to leave no consistent and proper effort untried to convict the guilty, regardless of political and social station, or private or official connections. All compromises were prohibited, and the whole matter was entrusted to the courts for judicial determination. The Department of Justice was instructed to pursue a like uncompromising course, and these instructions stand to this day, unmodified, in full force, and without countermand or restriction. And they will so stand, and will be vigorously pursued to the bitter end, regardless of whom they may effect.—*St. Louis Republican.*

THE editor of the *Scientific American*, in a recent issue of that journal, says, "Man convicted of capital crimes, instead of being uselessly hanged, might be employed in the study of diseases usually fatal, or of other diseases whose effects in their various stages would need to be studied anatomically. Criminals of lower grades could be utilized in the study of diseases of minor severity, according to their physical adaptation and the nature of their crime. Having their subjects under absolute control from the inception of a disease to its termination, the investigator could not fail in time to arrive at certain knowledge both as to its prevention and mitigation, if not its cure.—Medicine is full of problems whose solution might be greatly hastened by such means."

THE first piano-forte ever brought west of the Alleghenies was one owned by Miss Sarah Sproat, the daughter of Colonel Ebenezer Sproat, an officer of the revolution, who emigrated to the Northwestern Territory in 1798, and located at Marietta. Miss Sproat married a Judge Sibley, and is still residing at Detroit, Michigan.—*Chillicothe (O.) Advertiser.*

PROF. Proctor, the astronomer, denies that he is a convert to Tyndallism, or that his views have undergone any sudden change. He has only recently emphasized that which he has long believed, and he disavows any atheistic sentiments. It is understood however, that he does not place implicit confidence in the Mosaic account of the creation,

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.
[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

TREASURY DEPARTMENT REDEEMING 5-20 BONDS OF 1864.

The President Busy Preparing His Message.

REMOVALS IN THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

The Waco Investigation.

O'LEARY LEADS WESTON IN THEIR GREAT WALKING MATCH.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The President began work on his message to Congress this morning, and will not recieve visitors until after its completion.

The appropriations for the collection of customs being deficient some $600000 the Secretary of the Treasury will soon issue an order reducing the number of employees in the Custom House Building.

Vice-President Wilson was strong enough to be dressed to-day and to chat with Attorney General Pierrepont and Senator Fenton.

The United States Treasurer will today make his thirteenth call for the redemption of bonds, being for the sum of $2,785,350 of the 6 per cent. bonds, known as the 5-20s of June, 1864, and which completes the subscription to make up the amount of $500,000,000 of new 5s authorized to be issued, and closes up the refunding operations as far as the 5 per cent bonds are concerned. Another call will also be made the 31st for $5,000,000 for the sinking fund which will exhaust the balance of the 5-20s of June 1864, and then he will commence upon the 6 per cent 5 20s of 1865, to the amount of $1,975,400.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 15.—Regarding the recent removals in the Interior Department, Secretary Chandler says that they were not made because of the failure to pay the political assessments, but for cause, and that if the persons removed are anxious to have the public know what the cause is, they will be accommodated. It is no secret that some of these persons, while holding important positions in the Patent Office, have been growing rich.

Vice President Wilson continues to improve, but Dr. Baxter says that he will never entirely regain his health, as he has a disease of the spine, which medical treatment will not cure.

Some of the Northern Democratic Congressmen say, privately, that the Southern Democrats are so bold in their demand for the best positions in the next House that trouble in their own political household is sure to ensue when Congress meets. The Southern Democratic Congressmen assert that they are in the majority, and will control the Democratic caucus and nominate their own candidates. There is a prospect of a row ahead.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The local Board of Steamboat Directors have begun their investigation into the burning of the steamer City of Waco. Richard J. Holmes, who stowed the cargo, stated that 300 cases of refined petroleum were upon the upper deck, aft and forward, and distant 100 feet from any fire. No other freight of an inflammable nature was on board.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 15.—The State Treasurer's statement shows $58,525.77 in the Treasury Nov. 1. The total receipts for the two years ending on that date were $2,175,870.47. The expenses were $2,117,344.70—a decrease in the State expenses of $329,334.38 over the two years. The school fund of the State is $3,362,884.70, or $233,371.15 greater than that of the State of New York.

CHICAGO, November 15.—The Black Hills commissioners are in town, and have commenced making out their report of their efforts to secure a treaty with the Indians for the possession of the Black Hills.

During the afternoon and evening a report was agreed upon. It will be forwarded to Washington to-morrow. The Commissioners decline to make public its contents, but is is understood that it contains full statements of the relations of the Government to the Sioux tribes, and that it recommends important and radical changes in the treatment of the Indians.

O'Leary and Weston, who commenced their walking match of 500 miles at the Exposition building shortly after twelve last night, walked steadily until noon, when O'Leary was two miles ahead of his competitor, having made about sixty-two miles.

At 11:30 to-night O'Leary had completed his 110th mile. Weston, who had been resting for some hours, had accomplished only 90 miles.

OMAHA, November 15.—The storm reported yesterday struck Cheyenne last night, leaving 5 inches of snow on the ground and passed east, arriving here at 2 p. m., to-day. Snow has fallen over the entire line from Omaha to Ogden, to a depth of from 2 to 12 inches. Weather cold

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Committee of the Stock Exchange, the clearing-house, the city banks, the local and national Boards of Fire Underwriters, and the National Chamber of Life Insurance left this morning for Philadelphia, to examine the Centennial ground.

UTICA, N. Y., November 15.—Burke & Holy, bankers in Little Falls, suspended yesterday. Liabilities $100,000. Assets small.

THE PAPER DOLLAR.

In a speech at a Republican meeting at Horticultural Hall, Philadelphia, on the eve of the election in Pennsylvania, Mr. H. A. Brown, a distinguished Republican of that State, alluded as follows to the qualities of the paper dollar.

It has a value it is true, but not a value depending on itself. It shines with a cold reflective light like that of the moon. Take away the sun and the moon is dark; cut off all connection between your paper and gold and what becomes of it? You cannot do with a paper dollar as you can with one of gold. You cannot break it into pieces and put it together again, and yet have destroyed only that part of its value which represents the labor of making. You cannot take up the fragments of your paper dollar from the ruins of your burnt house and make them into money again. You cannot take it into the four corners of the globe and buy bread with it. It cannot be kept through twenty generations and be at the end relatively just as valuable. You can melt it up with nineteen others and get twenty times as much as you could for one, and then divide the lump into twenty parts and get a dollar's worth for each. Suppose your government comes into dishonest hands, can it repudiate gold? Suppose it falls to pieces as many governments have done, has your gold dollar become valueless? Your paper dollar is worth 80 cents today, instead of nothing, because it is a solemn promise of your government to pay you a gold dollar for it. The difference represents the doubt of ability to pay.

BEFORE we conclude that the danger of inflation has ceased to exist, it would be well to consider that eagerness and selfishness have not been eradicated from human nature. There are still knaves who wish to escape the payment of just debts. There are still gamblers who have risked the money of others in reckless speculation, to whom a return to hard money values and legitimate business, means ruin. Rascally demagogues still live, who hope to get office and power by appealing to the selfishness of men. Ignorant voters there are still by the thousands who are moved to envy when they see others more fortunate than themselves. The destructive theories and deadly spirit of Communism still exist, nor can it be denied that they have made dangerous progress within a few years, especially among laborers in our large towns, and in mining and manufacturing districts. Wherever workingmen accustom themselves in secret leagues, and frequent controversy with employers, to look on capital as the enemy of labor, there it is easy for unscrupulous demagogues to stir up hatred against banks, bondholders and all capitalists. The selfishness of the great speculators, the prejudice of the more ignorant laborers, and the calculating demagogue, will still unite to threaten the public honor and the right of property.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

YEARS ago, when Lyman Beecher was preaching at Litchfield, Conn., he went fishing one day; returning home with his hired man, he heard the church bells ring. Mr. Beecher asked his man what that meant, and he told him it was for a meeting he had appointed the Sunday before, but which he had forgotten. The man was sent on home, while Mr. Beecher put his horse under the church sheds, went into the pulpit with his surtout on and its pockets filled with fish, and delivered his sermon. On going to the barn next morning he found his horse gone, and learned, on inquiry, that it was under the shed where he left it the night before.

IT is probably on the same principle that sharpshooters are instructed to pick off the enemy's generals, that partisan newspapers usually train their guns upon the best men in the opposite party. The tactics of this guerrilla journalism—for such all partisan journalism is fast becoming—seem to prescribe bitter and unremitting attacks, not on the men in one's own party, or in the other, who deserve them, but on the men whose fall will most demoralize the force they lead. When the faint cloud of smoke they have raised drifts away and the crackle of the pop-gun artillery is hushed, it would be well for the men who have made calumny their business, and smirching their ambition, to look about them and see what they have accomplished.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

ALABAMA, where one of the chief arguments for the adoption of the constitution is that it relieves the State of oppressive taxation for the support of the public schools, last year, according to the report of the Commissioner of Education, expended for school purposes 87 1-2 cents for each pupil enumerated. For the same year, Illinois expended $5.60 for each pupil, Iowa $6, Nebraska, $10.72, and Ohio $11.40, and even Virginia raised $2.01 for each pupil enumerated.

THE amount of grain afloat today, in round numbers, on the Erie canal, is 4,100,000 bushels.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

A DREADFUL SPOOK.—"Ulysses S. Grant was never nearer a third term than at this writing," says the Cincinnati *Enquirer*. "The ghost of Cæsarism once more stalks." This is to be taken as an incantation, and not as a statement of fact. It is a form of words intended to call up the ghost of Cæsarism from the tomb to which it was relegated by the late elections. The prospects of the rag-baby would be decidedly more promising if Cæsar's ghost would but come forth once more and terrify those faint-hearted citizens who are afraid to trust themselves to vote for President. Hence the *Enquirer's* efforts to call back great Cæsar's shade from the tomb.—*Chicago Times.*

DAVIS' NURSERIES.

Has now ready for fall delivery 200,000 Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000 Shade Trees; also, hundreds of Cherry, Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything in the nursery line—will set and insure this fall, if wanted. Prices and catalogues on application to

H. W. DAVIS,
Box 141, Decatur, Ill.

PURE BRED FOWLS.

I have also for sale at my Nurseries, 200 to 300 Pure Bred Fowls, raised this year, of the following breeds: Buff Cochin, Black Cochin, Partridge Cochin, Light Brahmas, Dark Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Houdans.

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oct 7-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

New Advertisements.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to December Term, A. D. 1875.

To all persons concerned:

Notice is hereby given that Charles E. Lyon, guardian of Jane Lyon and Nathaniel Lyon, minors, has filed his petition in the Circuit Court of said Macon county, for an order to sell the following described real estate belonging to said minors, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. three (3), in block No. two (2), in North Addition to the city of Decatur, and that he will, in pursuance of said petition, make application to the said court at the December term thereof, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in December next, for an order to sell said real estate for the purpose of investing the proceeds thereof under the direction of the probate court of Jefferson county, in the State of Kansas, where said minors reside, and where said guardian was appointed, at which time and place all persons concerned can appear and object to an order of sale of said premises.

CHARLES E. LYON,
Guardian of Jane Lyon
and Nathaniel Lyon,
NELSON & RORY, Sol'rs for petitioner.
Nov. 15, 1875-d3w

GRAND BALL!

—OF THE—

Irish Benevolent Society

Will be given at their Hall on

Wednesday, Nov. 17th.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

MORRIS COLLINS,
PATRICK O'CONNOR,
ROBERT BROWN.
Decatur, Nov. 11—d6t

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Moultrie county, Illinois, in favor of Elijah Dennis and against Alfred Dennis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

Seventy-six (76) feet front of the west side of lot two (2), in William Martin's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois running one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet back from Wood street.

Taken as property of the said Alfred Dennis, which I shall offer at public sale, at the west door of the Court-house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of one o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 29th day of October, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Oct. 28-d3w Sheriff Macon county.

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Sept. 20, 1875-dawtf.

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November 17, 1875. d&w-3m.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Macon County Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1875.

IRA HARRIS, JR., vs. JAS. H. FERGUSON

BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

AFFIDAVIT that James H. Ferguson defendant, above-named—has gone out of the State of Illinois,—having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James H. Ferguson, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1875, as is required by law.

Now, unless you, the said James H. Ferguson, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Compl't.
Decatur, Oct. 27, 1875—d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO FRANK Curtis that Mary Ann Curtis has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House at Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday in December next,

when and where, unless said Frank Curtis shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & RORY, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 18, 1875. [19-d6w

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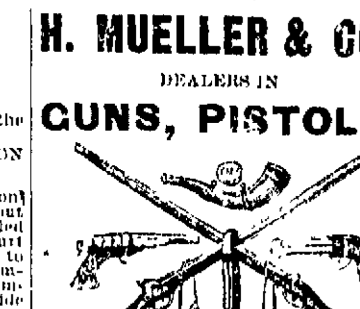

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Decatur, Oct. 30, 1875—d1y

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Santord B. Ayers, deceased, late of Macon county, Ills., will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on MONDAY, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1876, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

WM. N. McKINLEY,
Administrator.
DECATUR, ILL., Nov. 11, 1875—6w

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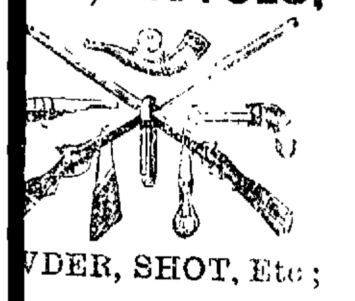

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The Daily Republican.

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..The meeting of the Good Templars was well attended last evening. One new member was admitted, and others were proposed. The Lodge is in a prosperous condition, and we understand is doing something in the line of reforming those heretofore given to intoxication.

..There was a good attendance at the meeting held last evening in the lecture room of the First M. E. Church, and *the services were of a very interesting* character. The pastor and members are hopeful that there will be a general awakening in the congregation, and a goodly number added to the church.—Rev. Mr. Keller, of the German Methodist Church, preached a good, practical sermon, and this evening Rev. Mr. Best, of Stapp's Chapel, will preach. Meetings are to be continued each evening through the week except Saturday

..Buckingham attended the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, on which occasion he thought the pastor did not preach with his accustomed freedom—and he thinks the apparent embarrassment of the speaker was owing to the presence of four very distinguished personages, to-wit: himself, W. C. Johns, Esq., Prince William Taylor and Theodore Tilton.

..The pay-car of the Illinois Midland Railroad passed over the road yesterday and paid off their employes in full for November.

..We learn from exchanges that diptheria is prevailing to quite an alarming extent in some localities. In Litchfield twenty children died with it in one week. The throat disease which prevailed here to some extent, and which was thought to *resemble diptheria*, has mostly disappeared.

A New Attorney.—Judge Vrooman, late of Missouri, has opened a law office in our city for the practice of his profession. The Judge comes among us with the best possible endorsement, both as a citizen and a lawyer, and will doubtless be a valuable acquisition to the legal talent of the county. We take pleasure in presenting our readers the following notice of Judge Vrooman, from the St. Louis *Journal*:

"Judge H. P. Vrooman, late of the Common Pleas Court of Macon county, Mo., upon the bench of which he presided with great credit for some six or eight years, has changed his base and located at Decatur, Ill., where he will resume the practice of the law. Judge Vrooman is an excellent jurist and a highly respected citizen of Missouri, where he has resided for the past twelve years, and we trust the right hand of fellowship may be cordially extended to him at his newly adopted home at Decatur. During his term as Judge of the Common Pleas Court, he had but one decision reversed. The Judge has a brother, Col. J. A. Vrooman, at present practicing law in this city."

PUBLIC LIBRARY OF DECATUR.

The Librarian is glad to report that the people are already beginning to respond generously to his request for books. To-day he has the pleasure of returning the thanks of the Library to Mrs. Judge Greer and Mrs. G. M. Bruce for one volume each; to Master Lester Leforgee for seven volumes, and to Mr. J. S. Barney for four. Mr. Barney's gift consists of two large books, containing a vivid description of every battle fought by United States forces in the wars preceding the Rebellion, and two volumes of the Life and Speeches of Henry Clay.

The boys show, by the fact that Master *Leforgee appeared in the rooms last* evening with a whole armful of gifts, that they, too, take an interest in this institution; and the Librarian believes that the generous young donor will soon be followed by a small regiment of youngsters of both sexes, bringing to *the common receptacle of the city* such books as can be spared by their parents.

R. L. EVANS, Librarian.

Store Broken Into.—On Friday night last, somewhere near midnight, Mr. Wilkinson, merchant policeman, heard *an unusual noise in the vicinity of* Keefe's new building on East Main street. Upon going in that direction he saw two fellows emerge from the front door of Fred Smith's grocery store and run east. The officer sent a couple of pistol shots after them, and thinks one *of them was hit*, as he cried out immediately after the shot was fired. They both, however, made good time in getting out of the way. Mr. W. then went to the store and secured the door which had been forced open by the burglars. An examination of the store by daylight failed to discover that anything had been taken. The probability is that the desperadoes heard Mr. Williamson's step as he approached the store, and fled before they had time to secure any plunder.

Firemen's Ball.—The grand ball to be given by Neptune Hose Co. No. 3, on the evening of Wednesday, Nov. 24th, is an event anticipated with much interest, not only on the part of members of the company, but by the many who purpose to attend as well. As the proceeds of the affair are to be used in purchasing a hose reel for the company, there will be a general wish for the success *of the entertainment.* Those who have the matter in charge are untiring in their work of preparation, and no pains will be spared to make the occasion an agreeable one to all who may attend.

Lost—Ten dollars, in walking from Broadway and the T., W. & W. Railway to the post office. The finder will please leave it at the grocery store opposite the post office, and receive a reward.

The Turners' Ball.—There was a good attendance on the occasion of the Turners' ball last night, which took place in their new hall in Ullrich's block. About fifty couples participated in the festivities, which continued until about 3 o'clock this morning. Ebert's band furnished music for the occasion, and everything passed off in an agreeable manner.

300 acres, all under fence—250 acres plow *land, balance timber, with living* water; two-story house, 7 rooms; new barn, 36 by 40, and other first-class improvements. A splendid stock farm, at the low price of $45 per acre.

160 acre farm in Wheatland township, all under cultivation, all dry land, cheap at $40 per acre.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

Change of Proprietors.—The American House has changed hands, Mr. F. M. Hill succeeding Mr. VanHouten. Mr. Hill intends to keep a first-class house in every respect, and respectfully solicits the patronage of the public.

We clip the following from an exchange for the benefit of Decatur girls. We have no doubt they will read it with interest and act upon its suggestion:

> To know how to keep a tidy house and well-aired apartments; to know how to select the best kinds of food; to know how to prepare them in the best manner—these are the first things, and every daughter should learn them before marriage.

Ansback & Cassell furnish oysters in any style on short notice.

Grand Ball To-morrow Evening.—The Irish Benevolent Society give a ball to-morrow evening at their new hall in Powers' block. The management has made thorough preparation for a good time, and the prospect is that the dance will be a most enjoyable affair. We congratulate the members of the association upon their prosperity as an organization, and trust that the public will extend to them every reasonable encourment.

Sylvester Brothers have some very choice lots of coffee that they are selling very low, and also a general assortment of groceries and provisions, of the best quality, to be found in the market. The motto of the house is, "First-class goods at bottom figures." It will pay purchasers to give them a call.

A Delicate Surgical Operation.—Drs. R. L. Walston and A. B. Allison went to Macon this morning for the purpose of taking out the globe of one eye, for Miss Lizzie Paul, a former teacher of that town. The cause rendering the operation necessary, is a cancer upon the globe to be removed. The young lady and her friends very naturally await the result of the operation with painful anxiety.

LITERARY SOCIETY.

The meeting to form a literary society, met pursuant to the call, on Monday evening, at 7½ o'clock, in the office of Nelson & Roby. There was a very good attendance for a preliminary meeting, and great interest was manifested by those present in the subject before the meeting, and it was the opinion of all present that such a society was greatly needed in our city. The meeting was organized by calling Dr. R. Walston to the chair, and appointing L. H. Tait secretary of the meeting. After a thorough discussion of the object and aim of the meeting, and the practicability of forming such a society, a committee to draft a constitution and by-laws, to report at the next meeting, was appointed by the chair, consisting of the following gentlemen: L. C McPherson, E. S. McDonald and B. I. Sterrett.

There was also a committee appointed to obtain a room to hold the exercises of the society in, consisting of W. T. Cussins, S. C. Clark and F. B. Tait, who were empowered to engage a hall suitable for this purpose, and announce through the daily papers the place of the next meeting of the society.

The society has made arrangements for, and especially ask the co-operation of the ladies in this enterprise. The exercises will be varied, so as to allow full scope for their talents. As many ladies as desire to have the benefits of the society are cordially invited to be present at the next meeting. An invitation was also extended to the pupils of our city school, who may desire to connect themselves with a society for the promotion of composition, elocution, debate *and parliamentary usage.*

The meeting then adjourned, to meet again next Friday evening, November 19th, at the time and place to be named by "the committee on obtaining a hall," which will be made public in due time.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Shreve, of Coles county, is in the city visiting friends, and paid his re*spects to the* REPUBLICAN *office.* He represents crops as being fair, and business generally prosperous. He returns to his home to-day.

Mr. J. J. McKerrehan, of Friends Creek, called at the REPUBLICAN office this morning and renewed his subscription for the paper. *He* says the hog cholera has abated in his region for the want of material to work upon, it having carried off nearly all the hogs in his neighborhood.

Mrs. Capt. Thompson returned to-day from a visit to friends in Indianapolis.—The Captain is still in the employ of the Decatur Furniture Company, and is on the road most of the time.

MARRIED

On Tuesday morning, Nov. 16th, at the residence of J. A. Barnes, Esq , by Rev. *Horace Reed*, MR. JOHN A. SWEARINGEN and MISS LIZZIE CODDINGTON, all of this city.

A few of the particular friends of the bride and groom were present to witness the ceremony. The newly-married pair left on the 10:05 train for St. Louis, where *they* will spend a few days. Decatur is to be their future home, and their many friends here will heartily congratulate them upon the consummation of the happy event.

The groom is well known to our people as the junior member of the enterprising firm of Hubbard & Swearingen, and the bride is a young woman of sterling character, and a good degree of business tact, having for several years successfully conducted business for herself. We have no doubt that the new partnership into which they have entered will result as favorably as their business affairs have done.

Masonic.—Work to-night in Ionic Lodge—third degree—at seven o'clock. Macon Lodge and visiting brethren are cordially invited. By order of

RUFUS C. CROCKER, W. M.

Strayed from the premises of the subscriber, three miles northwest of Forsyth, on Sunday evening, Nov. 14th, a large brown mare mule, three years old last spring, having on a head-halter. The animal was shod before, and a little lame in one foreshoulder, and slightly cross-eyed. Any person finding said mule will be suitably rewarded by addressing me. JAMES A. HAMAND,

Nov. 16-d2t w4t* Forsyth, Ill.

Assassination.—John Daly, a single man, aged about 35 years, was shot about dusk Sunday evening from a mule which he was riding, in Lake Fork timber, five miles west of Mt. Pulaski, by Frank Fletcher. Fletcher waylaid him, and fired deliberately a load of shot from an army rifle, the shot taking effect through the heart and lungs. Daly died at midnight. The men had not been on good terms, and neither had the best of characters. Fletcher is still at large.

Linn & Scruggs have the best and cheapest black silks and black alpacas in the city. [oct 7-d&wtf

Payment Stopped.—The following notes have been stolen from me, and I hereby caution all persons against negotiating them, as payment has been stopped: One of $600, payable to me, signed by H. B. Durfee, due March 8, 1876; one of $100 against Aiken & Spencer, due Jan. 1, 1876; one of $200 against the same parties, due Sept. 28, 1876, and one of $200 against the same parties, due Sept. 28, 1877.

HENRY HUMMELL.

Nov. 15-4d*

See those "Jewelry Cleaning Caskets," at Curtis & Righter's. 15-3d

Try those Crystal Spectacles, sold only by Curtis & Righter. 15-3d

There is Nothing looks so bad to a person of taste as a piece of upholstered furniture out of repair. It can be fixed in good style, at ASHBY'S, Opera Block.
Nov. 16-dtf

The Expense of conducting Linn & Scruggs' business requires a smaller per centage on amount of sales than any dry goods house in the United States.
oct 7-d&wtf

The Original Mrs. Moody's Patent Abdominal Corset, at GOLDBURG'S.
9-d4t w1

Mrs. Moody's Abdominal Corset, Duplex Hip-fitting Corset, Jaqueline, and Madame Fay's Corset, and 25 other styles, sold at lower prices than any other house, at Goldburg's. [9-d4t w1

Wake Up! to the fact that L. L. Ferriss has the most *complete* facilities for suiting you in every whim in the boot and shoe line. All the goods the store will hold. Boots and shoes to measure—*to suit your feet.* The best stock of boots and shoes west of Longitude 74. Sept. 53-dtf

Children's Clothing, just received today by express, all sizes, from three years old and upwards, in large varieties, at B. STINE'S.

The above goods are warranted to fit, and in workmanship cannot be excelled.
oct. 23-dtf

Ladies' White and Merino Underwear, sold very cheap, at GOLDBURG'S.
9-d4t w1

Stoves bought and sold, at Ashby's, Opera Block. 16-dtf

FOR SALE!

Six acres of land, adjoining the city on the northeast. It is well adapted for gardening purposes, being in a high state of cultivation; it has 75 fine bearing cherry trees, and is surrounded by a good four-year old hedge. Price low and terms easy. For particulars inquire of A. A. MURRAY.
Oct. 20-d1m

Everything that is new and desirable in Pompadours, Panniers and Bustles, at Linn & Scruggs'.
oct 7-dtf

For Sale. -A two-story brick house, situated on the corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, directly west from Stapp's Chapel. Said house is on a lot 80x150 feet, and has a good well and cistern, with gas fixtures, and all modern conveniences; also a good stable.

For further information apply at the office of the Decatur Woolen Mill.
17-dtf

Gents' Suits made to order in the the very latest style at
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Fresh Baltimore Oysters, at
24-dtf SYLVESTER BROS'.

Choice Dairy Butter, at
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V. Barber & Co. have now their winter stock of boots and shoes, and are prepared to meet every want of the public in their line of trade. Their goods for variety and quality are not excelled by those of any shoe house in central Illinois, and their prices are always as low as the lowest. They have one of the finest assortments of overshoes to be found anyweere. Call and see them.
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Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Wanted,—A place in a small family to do house work. The best of city references can be given. Address E. S., for one week, post office box 768.
15-dtf

Linn & Scruggs have just received all numbers of Madame Foy's skirt supporting corset, Mrs. S. A. Moody's abdominal corset, and the Jacqueline corset. Also, a complete assortment of Hip-gore and French corsets, of superior makes, and at *the lowest price.*
21-d&wtf

Room with Power to Rent.—Parties wishing to rent a room, 24x50, with steam power, for manufacturing purposes, will find a good opportunity by applying soon. Also, a good secondhand small engine, in excellent running order, for sale cheap, at
oct 23-dtf H. MUELLER & Co's.

Great Closing-Out Sale of household furniture and house-furnishing goods, of every description, at Stoy & Bishop's, in old Revere house block, preparatory to removal. All goods at cost for the next ten days. Now is your time to buy.
10-d&wtf.

Wanted.—A good girl to do the housework of a small family. To one who can come well recommended, *good wages* and a permanent situation will be given. Apply at this office. [tf.

SAVE YOUR MONEY.

Attend the great Bankrupt Sale for bargains in Dry Goods, Woolens and Dress Goods. [Nov. 10-dtf

Just Received,—A new lot of wax flower materials, from first hands, very cheap, for sale by Theo. Hildebrandt.
Nov. 4-d1m

Call at Linn & Scruggs' for Ribbons and Hamburg Edging 21-dawtf

The Old Dominion Buck Gloves and Mits, the best on this continent, and to be had only of Linn & Scruggs.
oct14wtf.

The Great Sacrifice still goes on at the Bankrupt Sale of Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Woolens, at Cooper's old stand, 24 Merchant street.
Nov. 10-dtf

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, November 16, 1875.

RETAIL.

Lard, per pound	17
Ham, " "	17
Shoulder "	12½
Squashes, apiece	5a20
Green apples, per peck	40a50
New Potatoes per peck	10
Onions, per peck	30
Beets, per peck	15
Turnips, per peck	25
Chickens, per dozen	2.50a3,00
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	40
New Cabbage, per head	5@15
Cider, per gallon	50
Vinegar, " "	40
Eggs, " dozen	25
Butter packed, per pound	30
" fresh, "	30
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	4.25
" red " "	4.00
" superfine "	2.75
" middlings, "	1.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	90
RYE—℔ bushel	50
CORN—℔ bushel	40
" shelled, per bush	50
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton,	12,00
OATS—℔ bushel,	35

WHOLESALE.

WHEAT—Best white, per bushel,	1.50
" red, " "	1.30
CORN—per bushel	42
OATS— " "	28a30
BUTTER—℔ ℔	25
EGGS—per doz	20
LARD—℔ ℔	13½
BACON—Sides	13½
HAMS—sugar-cured	14@15
SHOULDERS—per ℔	8@10½
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	6.50@7.00
CATTLE— " "	4.50@6.50
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	5.00
" " sheared	3.50
NEW POTATOES—per bu	30
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	9
APPLES— " "	8
" Green ℔ bu	1.25
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	25@27
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	6
" Salted cured,	6@6½
" Calf,	10
" Dry salt	10
" Dry Flint	12
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
SHEARLING PELTS	15
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	50@55
" Common, ℔ ℔	35@40
TALLOW—Cake	7

New Advertisements.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Martin P. Murphey and against John W. Barton and Robert Timmons, I have levied on the several following described lots or parcels of land, all being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot five (5), in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township fifteen (15) north, and range two (2) east of the third principal meridian;

Also a strip of land six (6) feet wide, front and rear, commencing eighteen (18) feet from the north side of lot five (5), in block thirteen (13), in railroad addition to Macon, and running back to the alley;

And six (6) feet off the north side of lot four (4), and eleven (11) feet off the south side of lot five (5), all being in block thirteen (13), in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon;

And fourteen (14) feet off the north side of the south half of lot five (5), in block thirteen (13), and a strip one (1) foot wide off the south side of the north half of lot five (5), in same block, all being in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon;

And lots nine (9) and ten (10), in block nine (9), as described in the recorded plat of the town of Macon;

And the piece of land lying in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon, and particularly described in the recorded plat of said town as the north half of lot three (3), in block thirteen (13), all taken as property of the said Robert Timmons, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 20th day of October A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Oct. 21-w3w Sheriff Macon County.

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A Fine Stock of

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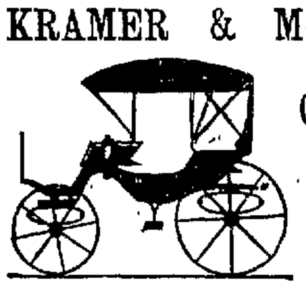

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Some eight months ago Mr. Lintner's *health began to fail in consequence of bilious* derangement, and he gradually and steadily grew worse, until his recovery was entirely despaired of by his friends and many able physicians. At their suggestion, some three months ago, in company with his son, he went to New York and put himself under treatment at the best medical institution to be found, bringing to his aid all that money and science could command, but instead of encouragement, after three weeks' careful study of his case, Dr. Foster (Clifton Springs, N. Y.) told him his liver was almost entirely hardened and that his case was utterly hopeless, that no medicine could do him any good, and he advised him to return to his friends, arrange his business affairs, take no medicine, and live as comfortably as possible so long as he might, which could not be long. He was brought home, given up by *all* as beyond human aid. He laid in a gradually sinking condition, vomiting daily, and looking more like a corpse than a living man, when a friend whose wife had received great benefit from it, requested him to try *Malarion*, which he did, and he began to improve within a few hours after taking the first dose. His vomiting gradually ceased, his bowels became regular, and he grew stronger and better for three weeks, when his friends, becoming hopeful of his recovery, had a consultation, and finding out what he was taking they took Malarion from him and *prescribed other medicines*, which he took for about a week, when his old symptoms came back upon him, vomiting again set in, and he was forced to return to the remedy which first gave him relief, and since then he has taken no other medicine than Malarion. He has taken less than two bottles, and is to day nearly a well man, with more youthful vigor and buoyancy, and promise of better health than he has had for years, and he says unhesitatingly, "MALARION HAS SAVED MY LIFE." SNYDER & GUE, *General Agents for Malarion.*

I hereby certify that the above statement of my case is correct and true.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 23, 1875—dawtf WM. LINTNER

NOTICE

—OF—

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Springfield, Decatur and Indianapolis Railway Company will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, the 6th DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1875,

at the office of the Company, in Tuscola, Douglas county, Illinois, in order to take action and vote upon a proposed consolidation of the stock, property and franchises of said railway company with the stock, property and franchises of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railway Company, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,

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E. W. S. Hume, W. Almy,
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MASONIC.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, William T. Stamper and Ann M. Stamper, his wife, by their deed of trust, dated the first day of February, A. D. 1871, and recorded in the recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois in Book No. 38, page No. 510, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described piece or parcel of land lying in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, and described as follows:

A part of lot eight (8), in block two (2), old town of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning nineteen and one-half (19½) feet north of the southeast corner of said lot eight [8] in block two [2], aforesaid, and running thence north nineteen and one-half [19½] feet; thence west seventy-six [76] feet; thence south nineteen and one-half [19½] feet, and thence east seventy six [76] feet to the place of beginning, fronting nineteen and one-half [19½] feet on the public square, and running back seventy-six [76] feet, on which the three-story brick business house of said Stamper stands.

Which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of twenty-one certain promissory notes therein described;

And whereas, part of said notes are due and unpaid, whereby under the terms of said trust all of said notes become due and payable;

Wherefore, at the request of the holder of said notes, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, in pursuance of the terms of said trust deed, will, on

Friday, 26th day of November, A. D. 1875,

at the front door of the Court House, of *Macon county, in Decatur, Illinois, proceed* to sell the said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the amount unpaid, with interest and costs of this trust.

CHAS W. MATHENY,
Decatur, Oct. 30th, 1875, Trustee.
Nov. 4—w1w

ASSIGNEE'S SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, assignee in bankruptcy of Franklin Priest, bankrupt, will, on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1875, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m., and four o'clock p. m., of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Franklin Priest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of lot nine (9) and lot ten (10), in block one (1), in Central Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur; also lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block six (6), in Smith & Co's Addition to Decatur; also lots two (2) and three (3), in Block "D," in the village of Oakley; also the north half of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eighteen (18), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian—all the above described real estate being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois. Also lot three (3), in block seven (7), in the town of Atlanta, in the county of Logan, in said State of Illinois.

M. F. KANAN,
Oct. 26 d3w Assignee in Bankruptcy.

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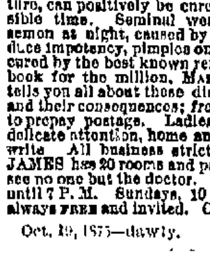

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court—December Term, A. D. 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain suit is now pending and undetermined, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein Melissa Sizeland and James Sizeland are complainants, and Jerome R. Gorin, Mary Conklin, Charles Conklin, Phebe Herrell, Uriah Herrell, Abram Dowees, Erasmus Dowees, William Dowees, Abram Dowees, Demaris Dowees and Phebe Dowees are defendants, and that summons has been issued in said cause, returnable at the Court House in Decatur, in the county of Macon, State of Illinois, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,

and that unless you, the said defendants, and each of you, then and there, appear, and plead, answer or demur to said complainants' bill, the same and the allegations therein will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,
ODON & FLEMING and P. LEE and E. PARK, Complainants' Solicitors.
Decatur, Oct 26, 1875—d4d

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO DANIEL Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel Loucks, Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth Knisley, Barbara Fullerton, John H. McGuigan, George W. McGuigan and Peter McGuigan, that Charles S. Lewis, as complainant, has filed his bill of complaint against them, impleaded with Samuel L. Lefevre, Elizabeth Lloyd, Mary Rankin, Frances Orr, George W. Rankin, Esther J. Rankin, Ellen R. Hatch, John Rankin, and William A. Goodrich, administrator of the estate of George W. Lefevre, in the State of Illinois, defendants in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in chancery, and that summons has been issued thereon, returnable into said court, where said cause is now pending, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, said county and State, on the

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when and where, unless they, the said Daniel Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel Loucks, Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth Knisley, Barbara Fullerton, John H. McGuigan, George W. McGuigan and Peter McGuigan shall appear, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against them.

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